

Nats, Lovelady In League Playoff

Playoff For Herald Trophy Begins At 8 This Evening

National Supply, who clinched the second-round championship in the Industrial League by downing Steelworkers 14-1 last week, will meet Lovelady Hardware tonight in the first game of a two-out-of-three series for the league's 1950 championship, and possession of the Herald Trophy.

They will meet again tomorrow night and Monday if necessary. Lovelady won the first-round honors in a playoff with National Supply on June 12, and the two teams now meet for the season's title.

National Supply finished an unbeaten record for the second round in the game with the Steelworkers Local last Friday.

Scoreless for three innings, the game took a slight turn in the top of the fourth when Nats' Bobby Stroud got on with a single and scored on a series of Steelworkers' errors.

First Baseman Earl Clayton started the fifth inning off for the Nats with a single, and before the inning was over, every member of the squad but Manager Spud Murphy had scored once, and four of them had scored twice for a total of 13 runs in the inning.

Steelworkers went down after scoring one run in the last of the fifth to end the game.

Line score:
National Supply.....000 113 8-14
Steelworkers.....000 012 2-11

National	
Opponent	Nats Op.
Potters Local	6 0
National Electric	11 0
City Employees	17 5
General Petroleum	2 3
American Rockwood	16 0
Harbor Hospital	10 0
Harvey Machine	5 3
Lovelady Hardware	2 1
Steelworkers	5 2
Lovelady Hardware	3 4
Potters Local	11 0
National Electric	22 1
City Employees	9 2
General Petroleum	13 2
American Rockwood	11 0
Fenwick's Shoe Repair	17 1
Harvey Machine	4 3
Lovelady Hardware	4 3
Steelworkers	13 1
181 31	

Lovelady	
Opponent	L'dady Op.
Steelworkers	3 2
Potters Local	5 2
National Electric	26 1
City Employees	13 1
General Petroleum	4 3
American Rockwood	16 0
Harbor Hospital	5 1
National Supply	1 2
Harvey Machine	3 0
National Supply	4 3
Potters Local	11 0
National Electric	19 0
City Employees	9 4
General Petroleum	7 10
American Rockwood	7 6
Fenwick's Shoe	7 5
National Supply	3 4
Harvey Machine	10 6
Steelworkers	5 3
158 53	

No Violators

No arrests were made for violation of the Fish and Game laws in Los Angeles county during the fourth quarter of the 1949-50 fiscal year, according to an announcement this week by Supervisor Raymond V. Darby.



Neighborliness Begins Next Door

Have you a new neighbor? One who may be feeling a bit bewildered in his or her new home-town? You can help the stranger feel welcome by advising your Welcome Wagon hostess that a new resident has moved into Torrance. She will call on the newcomers with a basket of free and useful gifts as well as bringing needed and helpful information about our town. Those who know Welcome Wagon's service know there is no obligation to the new neighbor or to the person calling. If you have a new neighbor phone today to...

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McIlvaine Pitches Police Nine To Ninth Consecutive Victory

Johnson, McIlvaine and company have done it for the ninth time!

They are now looking for number ten. Number ten could well be the team representing Eastside (you should pardon the expression) Beer, who meet the local nine at Torrance Park Sunday afternoon.



JERRY McILVAINE
... Wins Eighth

Latest victim of the Torrance Police baseball nine was the San Pedro Slav-American team who bowed to the local sluggers 11-8 last Sunday.

Jack French, first-sacker for the Torrance police, copped the prize for the afternoon. An unnamed Lomitan donated a beautiful, hand-made table lamp to go to the first player to get a home run. French got it early—his first time at bat in the bottom of the second inning.

BUCCANNON HITS
Buccannon led the hitting for the locals by treating himself to four hits in five trips to the plate—he got a single and three doubles. Jerry McIlvaine, pitching his eighth victory in eight starts, bunted safely twice for a two out of three hitting mark.

SAN PEDRO		AB	H	R	E
Martinez, 3b	2	1	2	2	
Cartkamp, 2b	3	2	0	2	
Trigovich, ss	5	2	0	0	
Stirling, c	4	1	0	1	
Kulb, lf	5	2	1	0	
Medline, cf	4	1	0	0	
Angelich, 1b	5	2	0	1	
Porter, rf	4	1	1	1	
Managers	5	1	0	0	
Totals		37	13	6	7

TORRANCE		AB	H	R	E
Ortiz, cf	5	2	2	0	
Camou, ss	4	2	2	0	
Chambers, 3b	4	2	2	0	
French, 1b	4	2	4	1	
Buccannon, cf	5	4	0	0	
Bennett, c	5	0	0	0	
B. Johnson, 2b	2	0	0	0	
*C. Johnson, 2b	2	0	0	0	
B. Crawford, 3b	3	0	0	0	
*McKenny, 3b	5	2	1	1	
McIlvaine, p	5	2	1	1	
Totals		39	13	11	5

Angelich pitched last inning. Left French played first base. *Claire Johnson replaced Billie Johnson on second base in first of sixth. *McKenny replaced Crawford on third in first of eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS	
San Pedro	100 200 021-6
Torrance Police	000 040 248-11

FARMING NIMRODS
More than 12 per cent of the state's hunting license buyers are farmers and their employees.

STANDINGS LEAGUE

Bee League No. 1		W	L	Pct.
Dialite	10	2	8	.556
Youth for Christ	7	3	4	.500
Waltera Wildcats	5	5	5	.500
Maxfair Creamery	4	6	4	.400
Waltera Business Men	4	6	4	.400
Bally's	3	7	3	.300

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE (Second-Round Finals)		W	L	Pct.
National Supply	8	0	0	1.000
Steelworkers	7	2	5	.777
Lovelady Hardware	7	2	5	.777
General Petroleum	5	4	5	.555
American Rockwood	5	4	5	.555
Harvey Machine	4	5	4	.444
City Employees	4	5	4	.444
Potters Local	3	6	3	.333
Fenwick's Shoe Repair	1	8	1	.111
National Elec. Products	0	8	0	.000

Dukes, Dialite Lead Bee Softball Leagues

Waltera's Dukes were sailing smoothly in their quest for the Bee League No. 2 Softball title as the circuit opened its third and final round this week.

The Dukes had won 10 contests without a setback before starting the third round. Dialite is perched on top of League No. 1 trailed by Youth for Christ. Dialite has an 8-3 record.

HUNTERS IN RUT

It is estimated by the California Fish and Game Commission that 60 per cent of the hunting license holders hunted deer in the state last year.

Herald Trophy Goes To Playoff Winner

For the second time since it was introduced in 1948, two top teams of the Industrial League will battle for the possession of the Torrance Herald Perpetual Trophy in a playoff, which goes each year to the champions of the loop.

The handsome, 18-inch trophy will become the permanent possession of the first team to win the championship three times. So far, Goodyear has one mark on the trophy for 1948, and National Supply has a mark on it for 1949.

Who gets the horse on it this year will be settled in the next few days; in fact, it starts tonight.

Beginning at 8 o'clock this evening in Torrance Park, Lovelady Hardware, winners of the first round of play in the league, will meet National Supply winners of the second round of play. Scheduled as a two-out-of-three contest, the two teams will play tonight, tomorrow night and Monday night if necessary.

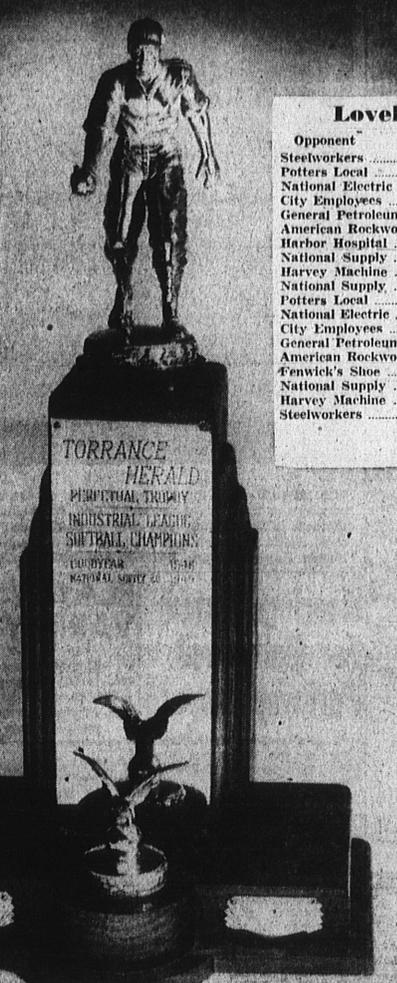
National Supply is banking early hopes on the pitching of Carl Randall, while Lovelady Hardware will be using Al Coast and Dee Burgess.

Dick Bowman, the Nats regular pitcher, is out of town this week and unable to open with the team tonight.

"Carl's a good boy, and we can win without Bowman," Manager Spud Murphy said earlier this week.

The Lovelady Hardware team has other ideas about it. Choose your team now, if you haven't, and come to the Torrance ballpark tonight and root for it! There's plenty of room in the grandstands for the avid fan and the curious. We can't pick a winner for you, but we can promise that you'll see a couple of top-flight teams battling for a title and the honors that go with it.

TO THE WINNER... of the playoff series goes this handsome Torrance Herald Perpetual Trophy. It's National Supply's until someone takes it away from them—will it be Lovelady Hardware?
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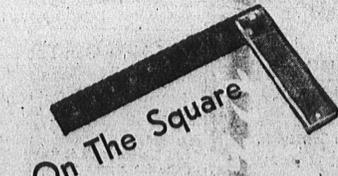
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